

## LOCAL.

James Shaver, of the Penasco country is in town to-day.

Mr. J. W. Stokes, near Otis, will plant 80 acres in Indian corn.

F. E. Roessler, traveling passenger agent of the P. V., came in to-day.

District court will convene next Monday, with Judge Hamilton presiding.

Dan Fisher, of Florence, leaves this week for his extended visit in New Paris, Indiana.

There will be no service at the Methodist church Sunday night, as the pastor will be out of the city.

Sheriff Walker has been quite ill the past week with grip, being confined to his home much of the time.

Mrs C. A. Bailey departed Tuesday for her homestead near Hagerman, where she will reside for a time.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give their entertainment Saturday night, without fail, at the opera house.

Ed Robinson returned last Saturday from his visit in Greenville, Texas, and will remain in Eddy with Joyce, Pruit & Co.

G. A. Richardson, of Roswell, is in town to-day on business connected with the case of Stark Bros. vs. Satterwhite.

Thus, Waiters, a brakeman on the P. V., received a badly mashed hand at Roswell last week, Wednesday, while switching, causing the amputation of the little finger.

John Waldie came in to day and says Mrs. Waldie will be in next week. John was married at Pecos City before leaving the valley, to Miss Lulu Strauss, of Tucson, Ariz., a Salvation Army woman.

Easter was a pleasant day at the Methodist church. Special music was provided and a good service enjoyed. Mrs. Smith rendered, with her usual musical talent, a pleasing selection full of sweet inspiring truth.

Services as usual at the fire department room, next Sabbath, both morning and evening. Preaching in the Otis school house at 3 o'clock in the afternoon by Rev. E. Brantley. All are cordially invited to these services.

Mr. Dick Day had the misfortune to receive a broken collar bone while switching in the yard at Pecos last Saturday, by end of one of the cars striking him while endeavoring to make a coupling. He will be unable to work for several weeks.

In adjusting salaries for town officials for the coming year, the retiring board of trustees set the salary of marshal at \$65 per month, treasurer \$200 per year, recorder \$1 per year, made no appropriation for attorney and allows \$200 for scavenger work during the year.

Chief Miller, of the Fire department, anxious the town be represented at Albuquerque in the coming tournament. To send a running team would be one of the best advertisements for the town that the expense of one hundred dollars could secure.

Several head of calves were taken in charge yesterday by Inspector Dow, of the Cattle Sanitary board, for alleged violations of the brand law. The calves are claimed by the V. V. N. hat and other brands, but will be sold and the proceeds expended as the law directs in such cases.

The county commissioners were in session Monday and Tuesday. Though no final action was taken on the matter of accepting the county paper in settlement of the ex-treasurer's shortage, the board has expressed its satisfaction in the matter, and the legal transfer will be made in special session during the coming court term, next week.

Quite a number of Odd Fellows met at Dr. Bearup's office last Saturday night, and after some preliminary work looking to the organizing of a lodge in Eddy, adjourned to meet again Monday evening, April 20th, at B. A. Nyman's office in the court house. The order is represented by about twenty members in Eddy and vicinity.

The Epworth Leaguers have shown their appreciation of their pastor by presenting him with a purse of \$25.00 and a vacation of ten days to attend the League Conference at San Antonio. He knows how to appreciate such tokens of love, and will show his appreciation by returning with all the up-to-date methods of league work for his leaguers.

A business meeting of the Epworth League was called Wednesday night, after prayer meeting, and Mrs. Robb, Miss Berta Laverty, Mr. W. H. Woods and Rev. Huggett were elected to membership in the League. They will be formally received next Sunday afternoon at the devotional service. The League continues to grow in interest as well as members.

Wesley Langford of the firm of Stanford & Langford of Hagerman, was taken suddenly ill while in town on business, last Saturday, since which time he has steadily grown worse, and at present is suffering from a well developed case of pneumonia. He is being cared for at the home of Dr. Bearup. George Stanford came down yesterday and desires to take Wesley home as soon as he can be moved with safety.

## EDDY TOWN ELECTION.

THE WHOLE DEMOCRATIC TICKET ELECTED BY GOOD MAJORITIES.

A lively Tussle and Plenty Opposition to Make it interesting.

The town election caused considerable rivalry for the offices Tuesday, despite the fact that for some weeks it would seem none were sufficiently interested in the town to accept placement on the board. During the latter part of last week, however another ticket was made up and placed in the field headed by Jno. W. Froman for mayor; L. M. Collier trustee; W. W. Ogle and Rev. E. Brantley members of the board of education, the balance of the democratic ticket being endorsed. Rev. Brantley was afterward withdrawn on account of the law prescribing that a member of the board of education shall be a resident of the territory for two years preceding his election, and J. F. Matheson was placed on the ticket instead. The fight was therefore made quite bitter on that portion of the ticket not endorsed. While the gentlemen nominated on the mixed ticket were very worthy, they received only nominal support and were defeated as the following table shows:

For Mayor: J. W. Kensinger, 82;	J. W. Froman, 59.
For Town Trustees: Fred Nyman, 83; J. E. Laverty, 124;	L. M. Collier, 47.
For Marshal: J. J. Rascoe, 120.	For Recorder: Geo. Dunigan, 129.
For Member Board of Education for three years: N. Cunningham, 98; J. F. Matheson, 73.	For Member Board of Education to fill unexpired term of R. H. Pierce, resigned: J. S. Crozier, 98; W. W. Ogle, 70.

### WANTED:

The public to know I am here to stay and am selling groceries for cash.

Evaporated fruit, all kinds, . . . . .

Hams, best country, . . . . .

Breakfast bacon, country, . . . . .

Shoulders, country, . . . . .

California plums, per can, . . . . .

These prices for a short time ONLY and SPOT CASH, come quick.

B. T. KILLOUGH,  
Opposite Hotel Hagerman.

Dr. C. T. Welke, of Dalles, is the new pharmacist at the Pecos Valley drug store.

**SUGAR BEET SEED.**

EDDY, N. M., April 7, 1896

Mr. W. H. Mullane,

### Editor CURRENT.

DEAR SIR:—I am requested by the Pecos Valley Sugar Beet Co.'s, people to advise the farmers in the Valley that first-class beet seed will be furnished by the company to those parties desiring to plant beets this season, and that the pay for the same will be taken in beets this fall. Will you kindly announce same in your papers.

Yours truly,

E. O. FAULKNER,  
Vice President and General Manager

### TRAIN WRECK.

Saturday's train, due here at 1:00 p.m., did not arrive here until 10:30 p.m. owing to an accident. While coming around a curve thirty-two miles this side of Pecos, at 11:30 Saturday morning, the flange on one of the truck wheels of the engine broke, throwing the engine, . . . . . the railing and on the ties. The train was running at a good speed and the engine ran considerable distance on the ties before it stopped.

The committee appointed is: Mr. McLenathan, R. C. Nisbet, Mr. Demarest of Otis and Thos. Stokes of Magma. The committee is requested to meet at the office of McLenathan & Tracy each Saturday at 3 o'clock until the plans for a permanent organization are complete.

## SUGAR BEET GROWERS.

THEY MEET AT THE COURT HOUSE AND DISCUSS SUGAR BEETS.

Resolutions Pledging the Cooperation of the People of the Lower Pecos Valley with the Capitalists who put up the Cash-Interestings, Tolls by Messrs. Nisbet, Foey and Reed.

Last Saturday afternoon the farmers tributary to Eddy met at the court house and voiced their sentiments as follows:

The meeting was called to order by C. H. McLenathan, who moved to elect Wm. H. Mullane chairman, carried.

On Motion J. W. Gillmore was elected secretary. Chairman stated that the object of the meeting was to give expression of the public regarding the beet sugar factory shortly to be erected at Eddy and to encourage co-operation of farmers and citizens with the promoters of the enterprise; to pledge the support of the community to those who have advanced the capital to build the factory, and discuss the methods of planting, cultivating and growing of beets.

Mr. Nisbet read a paper giving manner of planting, cultivating and profits of raising sugar beets, which was very full of information and very complete. Mr. Foey explained the cultivation of beets in general, and the use of seed, fertilizers and manure, . . . . . after all was said and done, the address was replete with information, he having had some thirteen years experience as chemist of the government of France.

Rev. Reed then addressed the meeting, giving his experiences as an observer of the industry in Nebraska at Grand Island and Norfolk, both of which towns are largely supported by the beet sugar business. Rev. Reed's remarks were highly appreciated, for he showed the almost absolute certainty of increased land values from the effects of the sugar beet industry, also methods of cultivation, etc.

All the speakers were highly applauded, the meeting being in the best of humor. Mr. McLenathan then offered the following resolutions:

Whereas, we fully realize the difficulties in obtaining capital for the establishment of any new enterprise, and

Whereas, we keenly appreciate the benefits which will accrue to us from the location of this industry in our midst, therefore, be it

Resolved, that we the citizens of the Lower Pecos Valley in mass meeting assembled, do hereby tender our thanks to J. J. Hagerman and his associates for their efforts in securing for us this important industry, and we further pledge our moral support and most earnest co-operation in making the same a success.

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The resolutions were adopted with the hearty approbation of every person present.

It was then moved that the chairmen be requested to draft a plan for a permanent organization of the sugar beet growers of the Pecos Valley.

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### AN AFFAIR.

This is to certify that on May 11th, I walked to Melton's drug store on a pair of crutches and bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for a dislocated shoulder which had crippled me up. After using three bottles I am completely cured. I can cheerfully recommend it.—Charles H. Wetzel, Sanitary, Pa.

Swore and subscribed to before me on Aug. 1st, 1894.—Walter Chapman, J. P. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by Eddy Drug Co.

Home to rent. Enquiry at this office.

The noted Peak Sisters will surely appear at the opera house April 11, under the auspices of the ladies of the Presbyterian church.

Indian Corn Five Cents  
at E. Seerattan's, Florence, N. M., at \$1 per bushel, by wagon load; also good selected corn seed, shelled by hand. Also cane at \$1 per ton in stack.

### FOR HOMES & BOATS.

The Earnest Christian weekly, 50 cents a year, Denver, Colorado, is devoted to the up-building of Brightside, a great industrial training school for homeless and neglected boys. There are 6,000 boy tramps in the United States and Brightside is the only school offering them a home, education and manual training. Will you help?

During the winter of 1893, F. M. Martin, of Long Beach, Wash. Va., contracted a severe cold which left him with a cough. In speaking of how he cured it he says: "I used several kinds of cough syrup, but found no relief until I bought a bottle of Clinton's Cough Balsam, which relieved me almost instantaneously, and in a short time brought about a complete cure." When troubled with a cough or cold use it immediately and you will find it necessary to try several kinds before you get relief. It has been in the market for over twenty years and constantly grows in favor and popularity. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Eddy Drug Co.

ALMOST OUR ENTIRE INSTITUTION IS NEW.

NEW! NEW! NEW! . . .

New Firm, New Management, and almost an Entirely New Stock of Goods, and we hope to make during this year as many new friends as we have already old ones, for we can assure the public we have New Prices and Lower Prices than ever before.

## Don't Fail to Give Us a Call.

If for nothing more than to  
Look at our goods, it will pay you.

We are a little late but every train from the East brings us New and Stylish Dry Goods, Etc.

We have the agency for six different Custom Tailor houses, and show more than Two Thousand samples of Clothing, all work Guaranteed, and our prices range from \$13.50 to \$35.00 per suit. Come and look at our samples.

## MILLINERY . . .

We expect to have our general Spring opening about Monday, the 30th inst., and we extend a Cordial Invitation to Everyone to come. We expect, this season, to be able to show a more extensive line of all kinds of Millinery than was ever carried in Eddy before.

## Joyce, Pruit & Co.

Eddy, New Mexico.

### CITY DIRECTORY.

#### RELIGIOUS.

ST. EDWARD'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Mass sun sermon Sundays, 10 a. m.

Mass on week days, 8 a. m.

HERMAN KEMPERER, Pastor.

M. E. CHURCH, South.

SUNDAY SCHOOL, 10 a. m.

PREACHING, 11 a. m.

UPWORTH LEAGUE, 3 p. m.

PREACHING THURSDAY, 7 p. m.

GEO. W. REED, Pastor.

W. H. SLAUGHTER, Super. S. S.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

(In Firemen's Hall.)

PREACHING 2nd and 4th Sundays, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. E. BLANTLEY, Pastor.

BLACK CHURCH (P.P.C.A.).

SUNDAY SERVICES at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL at 10:30 a. m.

SERVICES in the school house at Otis on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in the month at 10:30 p. m. REV. T. T. TRACY, Pastor.

FRATERNAL.

MASONIC LODGE.

Eddy Lodge No. 21, A. F. & A. M., meets

in regular communication at 7:30 p. m.

Saturday, on and after each full moon.

Visiting brethren invited to attend.

S. L. ROBERTS, W. M.

E. METTER, Secy.

6:00 P. M.—EDDY LODGE NO. 31.

Meets every Thursday at 7:30 o'clock.

All visitors are welcome.

B. L. POTTER, C. C.

ZONIE KERR, K. R. & S.

LINE DEPARTMENT.

Chief, W. A. Miller.